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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Isamu Nakao et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1775  
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Application No. 10/563,373 ) Examiner: Jameson Q. Ma  
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Filed: January 4, 2006 ) Confirmation No. 8827  
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For: BIOCHEMICAL REACTION )  
SYSTEM, BIOCHEMICAL )  
REACTION SUBSTRATE, )  
PROCESS FOR PRODUCING )  
HYBRIDIZATION SUBSTRATE )  
AND HYBRIDIZATION )  
METHOD )

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**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination, satisfies the requirement for a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, and is in response to the Final Office Action mailed November 22, 2010. Please amend this application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning on page 2.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.